North American Drought Monitor http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/nadm.html February 2005 **Analysts:** Released: Wednesday, March 23, 2005 Canada-Ted O'Brien **Dwayne Chobanik Mexico- Miguel Cortez** U.S.A.- Richard Heim **Candace Tankersley** Chester Schmitt * **Douglas Le Comte*** (* Responsible for collecting analysts input & assembling the NA-DM map) Intensity: in shaded areas D0 Abnormally Dry D1 Drought - Moderate D2 Drought - Severe D3 Drought - Extreme D4 Drought - Exceptional Drought Impact Types: Delineates dominant impacts A = Agriculture H = Hydrological (Water) The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale (No type = Both impacts) conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text for a general summary. Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Agriculture et Agroalimentaire Canada Environnement **Experimental**